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Subject: IMPT: Calls Needed Today from Taskforce to Secure 3rd Vote for \$300M in Housing
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Dear Taskforce Members,

It wasn't long ago that Gov. Brown struck down Redevelopment Zones, which severely impacted funding for affordable housing.

A motion ("Boomerang Funds") to allocate a portion of those lost funds for affordable housing was just scheduled for vote by the County Board of Supervisors on Tuesday.

Would you help make a call today and/or testify tomorrow to secure the missing 3rd vote for \$300+ million in affordable housing?

Context

Kuehl and Ridley-Thomas do not yet have a third vote for this motion, and Supervisor Knabe may even suggest an alternative. Given the budget sensitivities, we believe this is an item where the business voice really can help lend a unique voice to the considerations. Supervisors

Calls

While Supervisor Solis is the most likely third vote, we'd appreciate calls to any of the following offices:

- **Supervisor Solis:** [\(213\) 974-4111](#) – ask for Maria Cabildo (Chief of Staff)
- **Supervisor Antonovich:** [\(213\) 974-5555](#) – ask for Fred Leaf (Housing/Homeless Deputy)
- **Supervisor Knabe:** [\(213\)-974-4444](#) – ask for Nick Ippolito (Housing/Homeless Deputy)

Attached are the suggested talking points and the Board Agenda (Item #22) for your reference. If the contact isn't available, even a voicemail articulating your support for the Kuehl/Ridley Thomas Housing & Homelessness motion tomorrow would be helpful.

Testimony

With the motion very much in jeopardy, we also think 1-2 Taskforce members testifying will provide unique and critical support for this motion.

Would you be willing to testify in support?

Zahirah, who's CC'd here would be happy to help provide further details and support if you are available.

Thank you all,
Chris

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